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Docket No. R97-1

RESPONSE OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE TO INTERROGATORY OF
UNITED PARCEL SERVICE REDIRECTED FROM WITNESS DANIEL
(UPS/USPS-T29-11)

The United States Postal Service hereby provides a response to the following interrogatory of United Parcel Service: UPS/USPS-T29-11, filed on August 4, 1997 and redirected from witness Daniel. The response is being provided pursuant to Presiding Officer's Ruling No. R97-1/17, issued September 11, 1997.

The interrogatory is stated verbatim and is followed by the response.

Respectfully submitted,

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(Redirected from Witness Daniel, USPS-T-29)

UPS/USPS-T29-11. Please provide the results to date (costs, revenues, volumes, etc.) of the Priority Mail pre-barcoding experiment that is the subject of Docket No. MC96-1.


UPS/USPS-T29-11 Response:

From A/P 9, FY 1996 through A/P 12, FY 1997, total Priority Mail experimental volumes were 766,176. From A/P 9, FY 1996 through A/P 12, FY 1997, total Priority Mail experimental revenues were \$2,279,968.36.

Data collected for Priority Mail at two test sites showed cost savings per piece of (3.0) and (5.2) cents.

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 12 of the Rules of Practice.



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